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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

"Times, of Course"

That's what all the newsboys say when asked which Barre paper sells the best. There is no doubt about it.

The United States battleship Maine has arrived at Colon. Remember the Maine about five years ago?

In spite of the attempts of the Democrats it is probable that this session of Congress will do its duty by Cuba.

According to the Rutland News the week "begins well" there with two interesting cases and one for breach of the peace. In darkest Rutland!

A railroad to the Cobble Hill granite section seems more probable. It would be a big advantage for all concerned, including the company which first gets a line up there.

Interest in city affairs is certainly growing when all of one hundred citizens attend a meeting as they did last evening. Time was when thirteen attended. May we never see a repetition of such disinterestedness!

With a \$75,000 federal building Barre will be well pleased. It is something that the city has been worthy of for a long time, but unfortunately it has not had the advantage of "close communication" with Washington.

A Burlington holder of a druggists' license to sell liquor is to go out of business because he can't make it pay. The man was recently fined \$50 for selling to minors, which would lead to the belief that it does not pay to conduct business in that way.

Unofficial reports state that 600 bucks were killed in Vermont during the last open season. It would be interesting to know how many bucks were not killed. If a buck census could be taken at the present time we fancy that one-tenth of that number would cover the remnants.

The Burlington Free Press thinks that "the elder clause in Vermont's license statute has evidently begun to 'work'." There are many other parts of the statutes which have long since "worked," and very effectively. Witness, your own court records as regards liquor selling.

It is too late a day for Vermont as a state to plan for an exhibit at the St. Louis exposition. In order to make the necessary appropriation it would be necessary to call a special session of the legislature, which would cause a large additional expense even though the session lasted for only an afternoon. The talk, emanating chiefly from the fair committee, that the railroads might be induced to carry the legislative members to and from their homes free of charge, in case a special session is called, is more hot air than anything else. It is scarcely likely that the railroads would be so philanthropic as that. Even if they should agree to carry the legislators on free passes, which idea may as well be eliminated now as later, there is the objection to accepting such a charity on the very grounds which caused a bill to be introduced in the last legislature, to prohibit the granting of railroad passes to legislative officials. But transportation is only one of the expenses to be met if a special session is called, and the costs would more than balance the gain. Let us then suffer the mortification of being one of two states of the union unrepresented at the fair, but let us not add to our foolishness by attempting, at this late day, to get together an ill conceived and hastily prepared exhibit.

What's His Age?
"After all, you know, a man is only as old as he feels."
"How about the fellow who 'feels like a two-year-old'?"—Philadelphia Press.

Can You?
Strange fancies are by habit wrought;
Odd points of view brought up
Who can eat grapes without a thought
About appendicitis?
—Chicago Tribune.

Faithful.
A hope fulfilled of perfect bliss
Has furnished many a woman's text.
Such hope in this life's vain; it is
"To be continued in our next."
—Philadelphia Public Ledger.



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ABOUT THE STATE.

Items of Interest Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

H.W. Wheeler has been appointed postmaster at Holland.

There are three murder cases on the trial calendar of the December term of county court in Bennington county.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Fred L. Oderkirk, of Danville. He has liabilities of \$440.25 and assets of \$116.25, of which \$105 are claimed exempt.

President Buckingham and Prof. J. L. Hills have gone to Washington to attend a meeting of colleges of agriculture and the mechanical arts. They are the only ones going from this state.

C. F. Kenison of West Barnet caught a golden eagle in a trap last week, and has succeeded in keeping the bird alive. It measures seven feet from tip to tip, and is a rare bird for Vermont.

Raymond U. Smith of Wells River, who has been undergoing treatment in a sanatorium for a mental trouble, has so far regained his health that he expects to come home about Thanksgiving day.

The Congregational church at Derby has received a legacy of \$2750 from the estate of Mrs. Persis K. Hatch, of West Derby, and the North Congregational church of St. Johnsbury has received \$500 from the will of Mrs. Lucinda M. Flint.

Truman Newton of Vergennes, has recently shingled his house, the first time it has needed it in 62 years. The shingles that were on it were made by his father, and were made of better timber than those used today and were put on with old fashioned nails.

As the result of the shake-up in government employees attached to the office of Col. Converse J. Smith, treasury agent of the New England division in the federal building, Boston, Don M. Stone, special employee, whose home is in Burlington, will have to engage quarters in Detroit for a while.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Miss Hetty Podine, a public school teacher in West Barnet, who is charged with an injury to Leonard Standish, a ten-year-old pupil. In punishing him, it is said that she commanded the lad to put out his tongue, which she thereupon jerked, loosening the tongue so that it bled.

Mrs. Rose Ducharme Ostrout of Westfield has been placed under bonds to appear at a preliminary hearing today in the investigation of the death of Almeda Hoyt, a town pauper, who November 1 was found dead and covered with bruises. The woman died at the home of Mrs. Ostrout, who had been hired to care for her.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Logic.

Hobbs—What makes you such an optimist?

Dobbs—It is pleasant to have people laugh with you than laugh at you.
—Detroit Free Press.

Hustle to Collect.

"De world may owe you a livin'," said Uncle Eben, "but you've got to push de claim, 'kase de world ain't stit' up nights worryin' 'bout its debts."
—Washington Star.

It May Be.

The light in a woman's eyes—
It may be the light of the lighthouse
—Tongue.
The wonderful sign of a moving power;
It may be the glamour of lies.
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Late and Early.

"Hiram Hamestrap, do you know Bill Hicks and Myrtle set up till 11 o'clock last night?"
"Yes, I know it. I saw the son of a gun drivin' off when I got up to do the chores!"—Indianapolis Sun.

Magnanimous.



"This year, Paula, you can wish for whatever you like for your birthday!"
"Oh, how delightful!"
—"For I shan't be able to give you anything at all!"

CUBAN RECIPROCITY.

House Begins Consideration of the Payne bill.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The house of representatives began the consideration of the Cuban reciprocity bill. Mr. Daisell (Rep., Pa.) reported a resolution providing that the bill reported from the ways and means committee should be considered to the exclusion of all other business until 4 o'clock Thursday, when a vote will be taken without intervening motion.

Mr. Williams (Dem., Miss.), speaking for the minority, in opposition to the rule, declared it was about the most drastic rule ever introduced in the house, saying it shut off all right to perfect the bill. He said the minority desired to offer an amendment which proposed to strike out the "double barreled" pledge contained in the bill. Applause from the Democratic side greeted the statement that the bill tears down one-fifth of the schedules built up by the Republicans.

Mr. Daisell, replying to the charge that the rule was a most drastic measure, reverted to the time when the Wilson bill was pending, Mr. Crisp being speaker, saying that he commended the minority to a study of their own parliamentary history.

Mr. Grosvenor (O.) said the minority wanted to mutilate the bill and say it is a child of theirs; but, he said, "We don't want a child of that kind born in this house." He spoke for the adoption of the rule.

Mr. Williams demanded the yeas and nays on the adoption of the rule, and they were ordered.

The rule was adopted by 176 yeas to 155 nays.

When the senate convened several petitions protesting against Senator Snoot retaining his seat were presented and referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

The president sent to the senate the nomination of Ellison D. Pettys to be postmaster at Keyport, N. J.

Miller and Johns Tried Again.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 17.—The second trial of Daniel Voorhees Miller of Terre Haute and Joseph L. Johns, an attorney at Rockville, Ind., has begun before United States District Judge Thompson. They are charged with conspiracy to extort a bribe from John J. Ryan, a turf commissioner with offices at Cincinnati and St. Louis, for such decisions as would allow Ryan to use the mails in receiving money for "betting on races." At their first trial here last month the jury disagreed. Witnesses are here from Washington for the government and many from Indiana for the defense. The same attorneys appear on both sides as at the first trial, and in addition Henry Spaans of Indianapolis appeared for Miller.

Monroe's Widow's Body Exhumed.

Washington, Nov. 17.—The remains of Mrs. Elizabeth Kortright Monroe, widow of James Monroe, the fifth president of the United States, have been exhumed from their resting place in the Monroe mansion, near Leesburg, Va., for removal to Richmond, where they will be reinterred in Hollywood cemetery. Colonel L. S. Brown, general agent of the Southern railway, has charge of the arrangements. The remains will be taken to Richmond by way of this city, remaining here Wednesday night.

Fitz and Corbett Matched.

New York, Nov. 17.—James J. Corbett and Robert Fitzsimmons, two ex-heavy weight champions of the world, have been matched to fight a twenty round battle next May before the Yosemite Athletic club of San Francisco. The Yosemite Athletic club, which is the premier boxing club of Frisco, is the organization which so successfully conducted the championship battle last August between Jim Jeffries and Corbett.

Strange Premonition of Death.

A sound like a distant roll of drums or a carriage driving up to the door is supposed to foretell events of importance in several families.

A well known member of the house of lords, in whose family the ghostly sound of wheels is said to be a signal of death, heard it one evening when he was dining with a number of Turf club friends, many of whom are still alive.

Immediately the sound came to his ears he sent a servant to see what carriage had driven up to the door. The servant returned and told him that no carriage was to be seen.

After a moment's silence Lord — said calmly:
"Then it is my hearse."

Of course his friends imagined him to be joking. Who would take such a remark seriously?

But Lord — died shortly afterward. Is it possible that such warnings really occur in some families or does tradition work so powerfully on the imagination of those whom it concerns as to bring about their death?

Bad Condition of Siberian Railroad.

A Russian traveler who recently arrived in London from the far east by way of Canada states that an erroneous idea seems to be entertained in England as to the progress of the Siberian railroad. Over 1,400 miles of line have yet to be constructed, and there are several breaks presenting such enormous engineering difficulties that it will take years to link them up. Moreover, he adds, it is evident to an expert that, owing to the severity of the climate and the amateur way in which the work has been done, much of the line in central Siberia will have to be entirely re-laid.

A New Life of CHARLES DICKENS.

Mrs. Perigal is writing a life of her father, Charles Dickens, with the assistance of her brother, Mr. Henry Fielding Dickens, says London Truth. The Dickens family was by no means satisfied with Foster's monumental work, by which its author was said to have gained £12,000.

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B. & O... 73 1/2

Brooklyn R. T. ... 38 1/2

Ches. & Ohio... 29 1/2

D. & H... 105 1/2

Gen. Electric... 118 1/2

Illinois Cen... 128 1/2

Lackawanna... 23 1/2

Louis. & Nash... 100 1/2

Manhattan... 140 1/2

Metropolitan... 114 1/2

Missouri Pac... 55 1/2

N. Y. Central... 116 1/2

Norfolk & West... 54 1/2

Penn. R. R... 112 1/2

Reading... 38 1/2

Rock Island... 23 1/2

St. Paul... 125 1/2

Southern Pan... 41 1/2

Southern Ry... 17 1/2

South. Ry. pf... 73 1/2

Sugar... 116 1/2

Texas Pacific... 23 1/2

Union Pacific... 79 1/2

U. S. Steel... 11 1/2

U. S. Steel pf... 51 1/2

West. Union... 84 1/2

General Markets.

New York, Nov. 16.

FLOUR—Quiet and about steady; Minnesota patent, \$4.34 1/2; winter straight, \$3.64 1/2; winter extras, \$3.43 1/2; white patents, \$4.41 1/2.

WHEAT—Quiet and fairly steady. December being stronger than later positions on covering; December, \$2.45 1/2; May, \$2.35 1/2 to \$2.40.

WHEAT—Dull; state and Jersey, \$2.45 1/2; No. 2 western, \$2.46 nominal, f. o. b. afloat.

CORN—Easier as a result of poor cables and room liquidation; May, 47 1/2¢.

OATS—Nominal; track, white, state, \$1.46; track, white, western, \$1.46 1/2.

PORK—Steady; mess, \$13.11 1/2; family, \$13.

LARD—Steady; prime western steam, 7 1/2¢.

BUTTER—Firm; extra creamery, 22 1/2¢; state dairy, 15 1/2¢.

CHEESE—Irregular; state, full cream, fancy, small, colored, September, 11 1/2¢; late made, 10 1/2¢; small, white, September, 11 1/2¢; late made, 10 1/2¢; large, colored, September, 11 1/2¢; late made, 10 1/2¢; large, white, September, 11 1/2¢; late made, 10 1/2¢.

EGGS—Strong; state and Pennsylvania fancy mixed, \$2.31 1/2; state and Pennsylvania seconds to firsts, \$2.35 1/2; western extras, 31¢; western firsts, 32 1/2¢.

SUGAR—Raw nominal; fair refining 3 1/2¢; centrifugal, 36 test, 3 1/2¢; refined quiet; crushed, 3.50¢; powdered, 4.50¢.

TURPENTINE—Dull; 35¢ asked.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 11 1/2¢.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 4 1/2¢; Japan nominal.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 4 1/2¢; country, 4 1/4¢.

Fast Train Wrecked.

Kent, O., Nov. 17.—Wheeling and Lake Erie passenger train No. 27, the fastest on the road, ran into an open switch here. The engine, baggage car and smoker plunged into a ditch, the engine overturning, while the cars shot across into a cornfield. Fireman James Burris of Cleveland was terribly scalded by steam and water. Express Messenger James Greenwood of Cleveland had both legs crushed. The train had 100 passengers from Wheeling and Zanesville bound for Cleveland, but all escaped injury.

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Beautiful White Damask Table Cloths, 8x10 and 8x12, put up in fancy boxes, with one dozen Napkins to match, at \$4.98 to \$7.50 per set. They are beauties.

Cream Damasks by the yard, 39c and up.

We have an especially fine assortment of Napkins in a great variety of beautiful patterns. Prices from 50c per dozen up to \$7.50.

Hemstitched Tea Cloths in dainty patterns.

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